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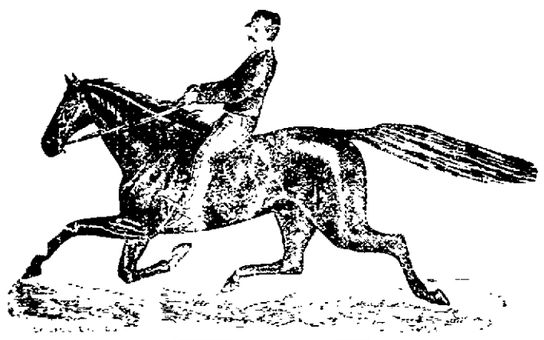

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Men's Spring Suits, in Black Cheviots, Clay Worsteds and Fancy Cassimeres, from $8 to $25; Latest Styles, Tailor Made.

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Wholesale and Retail

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Fine Home-Made Bread, Pies and Cakes

121 NORTH MAIN ST.

HOT WEATHER and DULL BUSINESS

May go together with some dealers, but we are determined it shall not be the case with us.

We Never Advertise Bargains Unless We Have Them.

It is the season for summer goods, but we have the nerve to put the knife right in and send prices on these seasonable goods down to a figure which will tempt every careful buyer. We give you a few sample prices:

Ladies', Boys' and Misses' Tan Oxfords, all sizes, at 75c; Ladies' Dongola Oxfords, in Black, Patent Leather Tips, at 75c; Men's Genuine Goat Russet Oxfords at $1.50, regular price $2.50; Ladies' Dongola Shoes, all solid, every pair warranted, at $1.00---you can't match them anywhere for the money. Our Men's Calf Shoes, in Congress and Lace, at $2.00, are world-beaters. We will have on sale this week a Man's Congress Shoe, all solid, at $1.00.

These prices will cause this stock to melt away as two feet of snow would melt if it fell in these torrid days. Stock up now at the great

FERRISS & LAPHAM SHOE STORE,

148 East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

J. A. SWEARINGEN, the druggist, wishes to remind his patrons that it is a dangerous policy to wait until taken sick before buying a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Every family should be provided with some reliable remedy for bowel complaints, ready for immediate use, whenever required, during the summer months, and this remedy is unquestionably far superior to any other. It can always be depended upon, and is pleasant and safe to take. It is put up in 25 and 50 cent bottles.

WE guarantee our race Coil Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding made in the world. If after six weeks trial the Race Coil Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.
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LINN & SCRUGGS are Sole Agents for the celebrated "Centemeri" Kid Gloves, See advertisement. d&w

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps for sale at Spencer & Lehman's novb-d&wtf

Rugs, Rugs, Rugs.

Just received 140 Smyrna Rugs, same as advertised and sold at 25 cents. Our price will be 15 cents. Also 110 ditto, 18x36, same as advertised and sold at 88 cents. Our price will be 65 cents. Also 100 ditto, 22x50, same as advertised and sold at $1.25. Our price will be 98 cents. Also 100 ditto, 30x60, same as advertised and sold at $2.12. Our price will be $1.70. Also 100 ditto, 30x72, same as advertised and sold at $3.15. Our price will be $2.68. LINN & SCRUGGS.
d&w

New Pension Law.

Soldiers, widows, and dependent parents, can ascertain, if they are entitled to a Pension, by calling on the undersigned, who is now prepared to prosecute all claims for Pension, under said law. For information call on or address,

B. I. STERRETT,
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GREAT BARGAINS in Chenille and Lace Curtains at Linn & Scruggs'. d&w

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ICE CREAM SODA

—AT—

+WOOD'S.+

142 Merchant Street.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Wooden Wedding Celebration.

Five years ago last evening F. W. Kossieck, the South Main street grocer, and Miss Julia A. Schaniel were united in marriage. Their wooden wedding anniversary was made the occasion of a delightful celebration last night at their home, 768 East Lawrence street, where there was music by the Grand opera house orchestra, dancing and feasting. Refreshments were served at 10:30 o'clock. A fine collection of useful and ornamental gifts were received by the host and hostess. Those present were W. A. Hise and wife, Albert Ammann and wife, Wm. Kossieck and wife, Misses Mollie and Lizzie Frank, Annie Harten, Annie Ammann, Gussie, Lena and Mamie Kossieck, Minnie and Kate Huseman, Mary and Sophie Kossieck, Annie Troup, Minnie Myers, Barney McKinley, Frank Keckeisen, A. Kramer, Ed. Smith, Sidney Potter and Henry Spence.

Charged With Forgery.

James Phelps, a stranger, was arrested last evening for uttering a forged check. It was signed by J. W. Walker, and drawn on J. Millikin & Co.'s bank for $27.15, and Phelps endorsed it at James Barnett's saloon, and the check was cashed by Barnett, who afterward discovered that the check was a forgery. Later Officer Koeppe arrested Phelps and put him in jail. This forenoon Phelps waived examination in Justice Curtis' court, and in default of $500 bail, he was committed to jail.

Williams' Australian Herb Pills.

If you are yellow, bilious, constipated, with headache, bad breath, drowsy, no appetite, look out, your liver is out of order. One box of these Pills will drive all the trouble away and make a new being of you. Price, 25 cents. John A. Swearingen, agent.

Blue Mound News.

The old pioneers of this section are one by one steadily passing away. The last to cross over the line is John Morgan, who died at his home near Morganville at noon, on Friday, July 11, in the 79th year of his age, after several months suffering with a disease of the stomach. The deceased came from Virginia nearly 50 years ago and settled on the place where he died. He lived a close neighbor to Col. Leonard Crawford, Robert Osborn, Isaac Yarnall, John Fletcher, Alfred Hall, Levi Abrams and Rev. A. D. Northcutt, all of whom went before him. Among those who came to the neighborhood about the same time the deceased did and who still live in the community are Geo. McQuality, Elijah Graham, John Henderson, C. C. Hollier, Samuel Morgan and E. M. Burns.

A heavy rain fell here last night, which will be of much benefit to corn and pasture land, but was to late to help the potato crop, which will not exceed a half crop, on account of so much dry, hot weather. X.

July 15.

New Literary Society.

The Rev. William Thomas, pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church, organized a literary society last night, and the following officers were elected:

President—A. B. Piper.
Vice President—M. T. Wilson.
Secretary—Miss Laura Winchester.
Assistant—M. D. Ross.
Treasurer—Joseph Bledsoe.

There are 15 members of the society and meetings will be held every Friday evening.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood Druggists. al

Coal Bulletin.

Riverton lump, Riverton nut, Blossburg, Scranton nut, Scranton No. 4, stove or range, Lehigh nut, Lehigh stone, Lehigh egg. Special price on winter's supply. Telephone 443. E. L. Martin, 628 North Main street. july15-d2w

Carpets,

Curtains, Wall Paper and Matting. All new in style and cheap in price at Abel's Carpet House. apr2-d&wtf

W. W. MOORE, of the Grand Opera House, Des Moines, is an early settler in that part of Iowa, and has had a great deal of experience in his time. He says: "At various times I have had acute attacks of bilious colic and violent pains in the stomach, and found nothing that gave me relief like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Every person," he says, "should have a bottle." For sale by J. A. Swearingen, druggist.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter, the most perfect machine made, the favorite with all expert operators who desire quick work and perfect alignment. d1w

Stated by H. B. Cochran, druggist, Lancaster, Pa. Have guaranteed over 300 bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bilious attacks, liver and kidney trouble.

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.* sept2-d&w1yr

An Anti-Force Bill.

Apropos of the Democratic effort to find something spiteful to say about the bill to secure honest elections, the New York *Press* says:

When a public debater loses his temper and begins to call names, it is generally a sign that he has been worsted in the argument; and if the names that he uses are undeserved and untruthful, his defeat, his moral defeat at least, is proved.

That is the significance of the revival of the term "force bill" for the Republican Federal Election bill. "Force" ruled the world before the days of republics and equal citizenship, and force still rules those parts of it where might supercedes right. It is force—not always material or palpable force, but force in principle—that rules any Southern district in which there are two colored Republican voters for every white Democratic voter, and in which the white Democratic voter suppresses the two colored Republican voters and continues to enjoy the benefit of their existence for purposes of representation.

That is the state of things which the Federal Election bill is designed to break up. That state of things is the forcible retention by one man of the rights of three men by robbing the other two men. It is just as much force and robbery as if the two colored men were slaves and were forced to work for the white man and robbed of the wages of their labor by the crack of the overseer's whip.

It is a one-man-one-vote bill. It aims to give every man one vote, and no more than one vote, or the benefit or weight of more than one vote.

It is not a force bill. It is an anti-force bill. It is a milestone of civilization, an honorable and sacred and historic measure, no more a "force" measure than was the Magna Charta of Runnymede, the Declaration of Independence, the last English act of Parliament for extending the franchise, or the manhood suffrage act which the English Liberals are going to put through when they return to power.

King John tried to resist the barons by force after he had promised them the Great Charter; was it a "force" bill because that force was overborne? King George III. resisted the Declaration of Independence by force and was forced to recognize it. But that did not make it a force bill. Force as a means of obstruction to great constitutional reforms is played out. The only thing the obstructionist can do is to make the force a nickname and throw it at the reformer, "Force" bill, eh? Bah!

A Large Hydraulic Riveting Plant.

An immense hydraulic riveting plant—the largest ever made—has been built in London for an engineering company in Holland, and is to be employed on marine boilers. The riveter has a gap 12 feet deep, closes its jaws with a power of 200 tons, and is capable of closing rivets up to 3¼ inches in diameter. A traveling crane, 50 feet high, is designed to raise and manipulate a boiler weighing anything up to 50 tons. The crane is operated by two engines, steam for which and the powerful pumps giving hydraulic power for the riveter's great accumulator is supplied by two steel boilers, each capable of doing duty equal to about 180 indicated horse power.—New York Telegram.

Behind Time.

Some people go through life behind time. If they say they will come at 3, they mean half-past 3; and when they finally put in an appearance they do it leisurely and good naturedly, and are mildly surprised if you insinuate that you are displeased. When they die, though, their friends will be avenged, because they will probably reach the gates of heaven ten minutes behind time—and find them closed.—West Shore.

He Understood the Old Man.

The little boy had pounded his finger, and immediately set up a terrible hullabaloo. His father remonstrated with him, saying that he was no longer a baby and should act like a man.

"But," said the youngster, between his sobs, "if I act like a man I'd swear, and then you'd lick me!"—Exchange.

He Is Going to Stick to Him, Too.

Matron—You appear to be very fond of your little playmate. It is pleasant to see such love among children.

The Bigger One—Yes'm; he's got er penny to spend.—Life.

A Slim Basis.

Jones—I want to have you understand, gentlemen, that I stand on my merits.

Smith—I should think you would lose your balance pretty often.—Burlington Free Press.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawber, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at King & Wood's drug store. em

DISTRICT MESSENGER SERVICE.

Prompt service. Telephone 446; office at bicycle school. Accounts collected.
ju23-dtf I. D. STINE, Manager.

THE leading question now is: "Are you provided with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as a safe-guard against an attack of bowel complaint during the summer months?" No family can afford to risk being without this invaluable medicine during the hot weather. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. A. Swearingen, druggist. d&w

SMITH'S Bell Ringers and Pantomime company are home for the summer. Can furnish first-class refined entertainments for lodges, G. A. R.'s, churches, etc. For terms address Will L. and Chas. E. Smith, P. O. box 337, Decatur.
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THE BURDOCK PLANT is one of the best diuretics or Kidney regulators in the vegetable world, and the compound known as Burdock Blood Bitters is unsurpassed in all diseases of the kidneys, liver and blood.

Firemen's Tournament.

For the second Annual Tournament of the Illinois Firemen's Association, the I. C. R. R will sell excursion tickets to Mendota and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 14th to 17th, good to return until July 18th. C. O. JUDSON, ticket agent. jy11 dtd

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

We guarantee *this* to be the *best Cough Syrup* manufactured in the whole wide world This is saying a great deal, but it is *true*. For *Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Sore Chest, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough*, and all diseases of the *Throat* and *Lungs*, we *positively guarantee* Ballard's Horehound Syrup to be without any equal on the whole face of the globe. In support of this statement we refer to every individual who has ever used it, and to every druggist who has ever sold it. Such evidence is indisputable.

For sale by John A. Swearingen, Druggist.

The Old Way.

Sairey Gamp, whom Dickens immortalized, used to administer medicine by clutching the patient by the throat and when he opened his mouth to gasp for breath she chucked the medicine down his throat and left him to swallow it ar rtrangle as it suited him. This is too much the way most people administer medicine to children; nothing is more pitiable than to see a little child in the agonies of croup, fighting with both its little hands to keep away the ill-tasting draught that the nurse is trying to pour down its throat. Nothing of this sort is needed with Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure. The children like to take it, and as it contains no opium or anything deleterious there is no harm to be found even from on overdose. Children can take it freely. When the little ones come home from school with wet feet, and as night comes on they begin to grow hoarse and their cheeks flush, and they show signs of approaching fever, lose no time, but give them a dose of Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure before supper; repeat the dose before going to bed and you will be spared the pain of seeing them in the throes of this most dreaded disease of childhood, besides passing a wakeful night at their bedside. It is one of the virtues of this most excellent remedy that it not only cures every individual case of croup, but it prevents a recurrence of the malady. Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure should therefore, be kept on hand in every household, for it is an absolute specific for croup and all diseases that come from colds.

SYLVAN REMEDY CO.,
Peoria, Ill.

Given Away.

At "The Style" Millinery Store, 121 N. Water street, every 20th purchase will be given to the purchaser, whether it is 25 cents' worth of ribbon or a $10.00 hat.
June 26-d&wtf

Wall Paper.

Curtains, Wall Paper and Chinese Mattings in new ideas and excellent quality at bottom prices.
apr2-d&wtf ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE.

TAKE a good look, with a keen, sharp eye, at our dress goods, silks, fine embroideries, black silk lace flouncings, white dress goods, table linens, hosiery, gloves, corsets, underwear and *general* merchandise and you will quickly discern where a certain class of merchants make their money. Linn & Scruggs.

COME and see our buggies, Surreys, Phaetons, Spring Wagons and Road Carts—the best made and cheapest in town. THE SPENCER AND LEHMAN CO., Nov 5-d&wtf South Main and Wood sts.

THE celebrated Centemeri Kid Gloves are better than any $2 gloves in the market—yet our price is only $1.50. Linn & Scruggs. j9-d&wtf

DODDS' CATARRH CURE.

LOCAL AND INTERNAL TREATMENT.

In order to cure catarrh it is necessary to allay the inflammation of the irritated membranes with a soothing application, cleanse the head of the plugging mucous secretions, and heal the discharging ulcers. For cold in the head and nasal catarrh Dodds' local treatment does this without the aid of snuff, douches or fumes. If the disease has extended downwards, affecting the bronchal tubes or lungs, digestion and blood, the internal treatment both removes from the system the scattered poison, and by its building-up properties assists nature in restoring the impaired parts. Send for our book treating on catarrh. FOSTER, MILBURN & Co., proprietors, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sold in Decatur by C. F. Shilling, East End Drug store, and King & Wood, 139 N. Water Street.

Woman's Exchange Lunch.

Coffees, Tea, Cocoa, Milk, each 5c; Parker House Rolls, Bread and Butter, Brown Bread, Salt-rising Bread, Cookies, Doughnuts, Pie, Cake, Cold Meats, Salad, Potato Chips, Cottage Cheese, each 5c; Ice Cream, 10c; Cream, 10c a glass; Strawberries, 10c. Apr 23-dtf

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We receive our fruits direct from head quarters in car lots, and have the exclusive sale in Central Illinois for the celebrated

PORT LIMON BANANAS,

Which are without doubt the very best bananas grown on this continent.

We have a large stock of bananas, oranges and lemons, and are in a position to give you bargains. Why not deal at headquarters and get in on the ground floor?

We also have a fine stock of Fancy Groceries, consisting of Candies, Nuts, Dates, Raisins, and everything pertaining to that line.

GEO. W. EHRHART & CO.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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TRADE MARK THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY. An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of self-abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave. TRADE MARK

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☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

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—A FULL LINE OF LAWN TENNIS SHOES—
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New Goods, New Patterns, Low Prices---is his Motto.

Give him a call; It will pay you.

W. F. BUSHER.

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Cured me after my nose, upper lip, roof of my mouth and palate were entirely consumed by a **BLOOD DISEASE.** 40 years I have manufactured and sold this remedy and invite afflicted people or their friends to call on me. ADVICE FREE or write and describe your case.

EXTRACTS FROM HOME TESTIMONIALS; SEND FOR THEM.

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DEAR MRS. HIBBARD—Four bottles of your **HERB EXTRACT** cured me of Catarrh of the throat. I consider it a wonderful medicine. Very truly yours, MRS. G. G. WALKER.

SCROFULA After doctoring all my life for Scrofula and White Swelling seven bottles of your **HERB EXTRACT** completely cured me. MRS. T. H. FLINT, 133 W. Madison St., Chicago.

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I suffered terribly with rheumatism; my fingers were swollen to twice their usual size; I could not straighten them. Four bottles of your **HERB EXTRACT** completely cured me. MRS. E. WILLIAMS, 242 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

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For Sale by { John A. Swearingen, Corner Drug Store. Charles F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

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THE THREE PIECES FOR $1.00.

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In asking your attention to the sterling value of these goods we have only to say that they represent the result of a wide and successful experience and are the expression of our best and most painstaking effort.

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Boxes of Light Challies AT 4c A YARD.

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1,000 Yards of Plain Black Challie AT 8c A YARD.

36-Inch Challies in French Patterns, AT 18c A YARD.

500 yards of Figured India Linens, AT 5c A YARD.

1,000 yards of Black Organdies, warranted Fast Black, AT 15c AND 18c A YARD.

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Fancy Figured Brilliantines AT 39c A YARD, Former Price, 50c.

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50 pieces of Printed India Silks for summer dresses, AT 45c AND 59c, Were originally 75c and $1.0c a yard.

Seventy-Five Sample Parasols, bought at a Sacrifice, no two alike; worth $4.00 to $6.00, **AT $1.00.**

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For State Treasurer,
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Sup't of Public Instruction,
RICHARD EDWARDS.
Trustees Illinois University, { C. G. NEELY, W. A. MANSFIELD, CHARLES BENNETT.
Clerk Supreme Court,
JAMES J. FINN.
Clerk Appellate Court,
L. C. MURPHY.
For Congress,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL.

How Free Trade Was Born.

Up to 1816 and for some time after that date the almost universal opinion and policy of the government was for protection to our industries. Franklin, Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Clay and Calhoun are all on record in favor of the principle and none expressed any doubt as to its correctness.

In 1816 in a report to Congress Secretary of the Treasury Dallas said:

There are few, if any, governments which do not regard the establishment of domestic manufacturers as a chief object of public policy. The United States has always so regarded it. In the earliest acts of Congress which were passed after the adoption of the present Constitution the obligation of providing, by duties on imports, for the discharge of the public debts, is expressly connected with the policy of encouraging and protecting manufactures.

In 1816 the tariff was revised. The schedules were enlarged, the duties increased and the whole matter systematized on the principle of protection to our industries. This measure was supported by Calhoun. Soon thereafter the State Sovereignty and secession dogmas took root in the South and under the leadership of Calhoun, the tariff was made the pretext for carrying out their scheme.

The tariff acts of 1824 and of 1828 strengthened the act of 1816; but the movement in the South by this time had become so strong and the threat of disunion, in case the protective tariff act was not repealed, that the protectionists agreed to the compromise tariff of 1833, which provided for a biennial reduction on a sliding scale of all duties until the rate should be reduced to 20 per cent. This was to culminate in 1842.

Disaster followed close on the heels of this bill. Business was ruined and England got the American market and our workmen were idle. The protectionists secured the congress of 1842 and passed the protective tariff act of that year. The compromise act of 1833 was not acceptable to the Southern leaders and when the act of 1842 became a law that section at once assailed it furiously. Their people were taught that New England manufacturers were robbers engaged in sapping the life blood out of the southern farmers under the protection of the National Government and that the whole scheme of protection was unconstitutional.

The campaign of 1844 came on. Polk, a southern man, was the nominee of the Democratic party, and being a free trader he was, in view of the business reverses experienced under the act of 1833 and the restoration of prosperity under the act of 1842, in sore straits. To relieve him from this dilemma he and his southern backers declared that he favored the act of 1842, and immediately the northern wing of the Democratic party, which had now, thus early, learned to dance when the South whistled, broke out and cried in favor of the tariff of 1842. This fraud succeeded and Polk was elected; but regardless of the promises made, the tariff of 1842 was repealed by the Southern-Walker-Free Trade tariff of 1846. The same arguments were made to the farmer in repealing the tariff of 1842 that are made now by the Democrats. The argument originated in the South as it does now; the northern Democrats played second fiddle as they do now, and they said that the tariff operated as a tax, as they do now.

Upon a fair trial of the free trade tariff President Fillmore, in his message in 1851, tells us how far the results were at variance with the free traders argument as follows:

The value of our exports of breadstuffs and provisions, which it was supposed the [illegible] and of a low tariff and large imports [illegible] incentive abroad would have greatly augmented, [illegible] from len from $68,701,[illegible] in 1847 to [illegible] ented, has fal and to $21,848,653 in 1851 [illegible] 1850, [illegible] in 1850 ... tity, amounting [illegible] probably further reduction an[illegible] a country of a still The policy which [illegible] the current year [illegible] foreign merchants [illegible] at a low rate [illegible] who procure [illegible] merchandise, it was thought [illegible] beneath [illegible] and established it, would [illegible] the farming population of this country [illegible] increasing the demand and raise [illegible] agricultural products in foreign [illegible] The foregoing facts, however, seem to [illegible] contestably that no such result has followed the adoption of this policy.

In a subsequent message the President, after calling attention to the fact that the country was being drained of its money on account of the balance of trade being against us he said:

In the second place, as our manufacturing establishments are broken down by competition with foreigners, the capital invested in them is lost; thousands of honest and industrious citizens are thrown out of employment, and the farmer, to that extent, is deprived of a home market for the sale of his surplus produce. In the third place the destruction of our manufactures leaves the foreigner without competition in our market and he consequently raises the price of the article sent here for sale.

In 1857 President Buchanan, in his annual message said:

We have possessed all the elements of material wealth in rich abundance, and yet, notwithstanding all these advantages, our country, in its monetary interests, is at the present moment in a deplorable condition. In the midst of unsurpassed plenty in all the productions and in all the elements of national wealth we find our manufactures suspended, our public works retarded, our private enterprises of different kinds abandoned and thousands of useful laborers thrown out of employment and reduced to want.

The calamities of the free trade tariff ended with the enactment of the Morrill protective tariff and for twenty-nine years the country has prospered as it never prospered before.

In 1860-1 the Republican party declared in favor of a high protective tariff. The southern wing of the Democratic party went into rebellion and by its constitution declared:

No duty or tax on importations from foreign nations shall be laid to promote or foster any branch of industry.

While the South was in rebellion our Northern Democrats had no opinion on the tariff and no reference was made to it in their platform of 1864. As soon, however, as the war closed the S[illegible]

worked faithfully ever since. All the free trade cant and every free trade notion which has been used in the last sixty years by the Democratic party originated in the South and was primarily the handmaid of the dogma of secession as taught by John C. Calhoun.

The County Ticket.

The Prohibs. at the triple convention yesterday did no further business of importance other than reported in these columns last evening, except fixing the time of holding the county convention to nominate candidates for county officers. The date fixed was August 19.

The special Illinois elections held yesterday for Representatives resulted: Thirty-fifth District, Dazey, Democrat, was chosen over Cox, Republican, to succeed A. S. McDowell, Republican, resigned; J. Edwin Black, Democrat, to succeed D. C. M. Lyon, Democrat, in the Lawrence county district. Beck, Republican, is elected to succeed Elijah M. Haines.

The meeting of the Decatur Trotting Association is progressing satisfactorily to both the association and its patrons.

The "tariff-is-a-tax fiend" is now putting up his money on the horse races.

Stanley is reported as being seriously ill.

Republican Pledges.

New York *Press:* Republican pledges kept by the House:

1. Tariff bill.
2. Federal elections bill.
3. Silver bill.
4. Anti trust bill.
5. Dependent pension bill.
6. Administrative customs bill.
7. Territorial admission bills.
8. Battleships bill.

Republican pledges kept by the Senate:

1. Silver bill.
2. Anti trust bill.
3. Dependent pension bill.
4. Administrative customs bill.
5. Postal subsidy bill.
6. Tonnage bounty bill.
7. Territorial admission bills.
8. Battleships bill.

Next!

Bloomington *Pantagraph:* Dr. Dinsmore is a lover of a fine horse. He enjoys riding on horseback and spends a considerable portion of his leisure time in that kind of amusement. Recently he parted with his fine bay Kentucky nag, selling her to Mr. Thornton Snell, and bought a coal-black steed said to be a splendid representative of the Denmark family. The horse is a combination animal, going easily and smoothly all the popular gaits. Mr. Dinsmore purchased the horse at Decatur.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Stanley is still ill and very weak.

—Parkersburg, W. Va., is suffering from a water famine.

—Gold was quoted at 207 per cent. in Buenos Ayres yesterday.

—An unknown young man leaped over the Falls of Niagara Monday.

—The sheriff of Napa County, Cal., was fatally wounded by a horse thief.

—English Government telegraphists have been granted an increase of pay and other concessions.

—Professional base-ball playing, under Maryland laws, is "work," and cannot be performed on Sunday.

—A bill was presented in the House yesterday granting a pension of $2,000 a year to the widow of General John C. Fremont.

—John Mullock, a New York lawyer fifty-three years of age, dropped dead on an elevated railroad station yesterday morning.

—A costly wreck, but fortunately without loss of life, occurred on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad, near Ashland, O., yesterday.

—Judge Nash, of Geneseo, N. Y., has refused to admit the will of the late General Lester B. Faulkner to probate, the testimony showing that a later and better instrument had been spirited away.

In a Bad Box.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 16.—Oscar Nicholson, a well-known lawyer here was held yesterday by the United States Commissioner to answer for securing fraudulent affidavits in the case of John Herbisch, who died from the effect of an assault committed by fellow prisoners while in Wilkesbarre jail, but whose widow procured a pension on the ground that death resulted from injuries received during the war.

A Consolidated Brewing Company.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—The four big Minneapolis breweries have been consolidated with a capital of $1,000,000. The firms are the John Orth Brewing Company, the Heinrich Brewing Company, D. Morrenberg [illegible] the Germania Brewing Company [illegible] and above are the sole shareholders. The new concern, which will [illegible] ters in the the Minneapolis [illegible] be known as Company [illegible] wing and Malting

The [illegible] [illegible] Alliance Men on Top.

State F[illegible] [illegible], Tenn., July 16.—The [illegible] Democratic convention assembled [illegible] noon yesterday and the session was taken up with the selection of temporary officers and the appointment of committees on permanent organization, credentials and platform. The first committee reported Congressman James D. Richardson for permanent chairman, and E. B. Wade for chief secretary. Both are Alliance men.

Can Not Interfere with the Lease.

Chicago, July 16.—Judge Tulley yesterday held that the Chicago & Western Indiana railway can not interfere with the existing lease held by the Wabash Railroad Company for the use of the first-named company's track between this city and Hammond, Ind. The Western Indiana road claims that it is the purpose of the Wabash to allow the Canadian Pacific entrance into Chicago over their tracks.

Death of Prof. Dunshee.

Des Moines, Ia., July 16.—Prof. Norman Dunshee, of Drake University, died suddenly here yesterday morning from heart disease. He was Garfield's Latin and Greek teacher at Hiram College.

Ayer's Hair Vigor has long held the first place, as a hair dresser, in the estimation of the public. Ladies find that this preparation gives a beautiful gloss to the hair and gentlemen use it to prevent baldness and cure humors in the scalp.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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LATER PARTICULARS

Of the Dreadful Accident on Lake Pepin.

THE VICTIMS LOCKED UP IN THE CABIN

And Allowed No Chance of Escape—Charges of Drunkenness Against Captain and Crew and Members of the Excursion Party.

Lake City, Minn., July 16.—It now appears that the cabin doors of the Sea Wing, the steamer capsized Sunday night in Lake Pepin, were locked during the storm and that a large number of passengers were confined there when the boat went over. Who locked the doors or why they were locked are questions asked by everyone and answered by no one. The heavier part of the windstorm was preceded by a heavy fall of hail, so heavy a fall that the passengers were compelled to take shelter in the cabin and then the doors were locked. The steamer was a small stern-wheeler with one cabin over her boiler-deck. She towed an open flat-bottomed barge. Most of the passengers who were on the barge escaped, while the occupants of the Sea Wing's cabin were all drowned.

Lake Pepin is only an expansion of the Mississippi river from Wabasha to Red Wing, thirty miles, and is on an average three miles wide. Lake City is at the widest point, and is on the lake's west bank. Camp Lakeview is on a bluff near Lake City, and there the First Regiment National Guards of Minnesota is encamped. The Sea Wing had taken a party of Red Wing excursionists to Camp Lake View, and was returning with them when overturned by the wind.

Captain Weathern, the owner of the boat, who was in command, is blamed for starting away from the camp with the storm gathering. Pepin has always been a dangerous bit of water in a storm, and many disasters have occurred on it. The captain is in no condition to defend himself. His wife and two of their three children were on the Sea Wing and were drowned. The Captain does not know how he escaped. His boat was greatly damaged by the accident, and was late yesterday pulled apart by tugs to release bodies. Captain Weathern protested against the destruction of his boat but was silenced by Adjutant-General Mullen, of the State militia, who was superintending the wrecking. The Adjutant-General has had the First Regiment detailed to assist in the recovery of bodies, and the work has been pushed without intermission. It is not yet known exactly how many persons were lost. An estimate places the total number of excursionists at two hundred and seven. Of these eighty-one are known to be saved. There are not accounted for, then, one hundred and twenty-six. Captain Weathern can not just now give any figures or verify the estimate of the number of passengers.

John Berkey, who has a summer residence on Lake Pepin, between Camp Lake View and Lake City, got up steam in his launch as soon as he heard of the disaster and went to the scene. He ran backward and forward about the wreck until daylight rescuing passengers, and succeeded in saving a number of lives.

The lake shore was made to reverberate yesterday morning with the thunder of dynamite, which was brought into requisition in the hope that it would be of help in bringing some of the as yet unrecovered bodies to the surface. The country people who drove in from all directions Monday were again on hand yesterday morning, and residents of this place were also there at an early hour watching the workers.

Nothing new has developed along the lake shore, no bodies having been recovered up to noon, although dynamite was used vigorously and generally under the direction of General Mullen, who had Captain Peter Berkey's steam yacht as headquarters. A close watch was kept up along the shore, but nothing was found. It is probable that no more bodies will be found for two or three days, and the hope at Lake City is that not over a dozen more are in the lake, but at Red Wing the number has been placed two or three times that high. Captain Weathorn, who has not been seen since yesterday noon, told a citizen of Red Wing that the number on board at the time of the disaster would not exceed one hundred and seventy. The Red Wing man was very much excited, denied the Captain's figures as over thirty below the truth, and accused both captain and crew of being drunk and unfit to have charge of a boat at such a time. The meeting was, of course, soon known about town and will in part explain the charge of drunkenness that has been made. Still, there is no proof of such a state of affairs. There were those on the barge among the passengers who had been drinking and whose actions drove the women and children to the cabin, and this fact may be another ground for the rumor.

Destruction of a Seven-Story Building.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—The large seven-story warehouse of the Security Company was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon together with its contents. Spontaneous combustion was the cause. The upper floors were filled with agricultural implements, and on the fourth floor were five hundred tons of binding twine. A three-story stone building, adjoining was crushed by the falling walls.

The building was built in April and cost $50,000, on which there is $35,000 insurance. The first floor was occupied as a shipping room, the second by offices, the third by the Wm. Deering Company, the fourth by the Appleton Manufacturing Company, the fifth and sixth by general storage, and the seventh by furniture. The total loss is $815,000; insured in foreign companies.

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Yesterday's Record in the Base-Ball Arena.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—									
Bostons	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	1	5—14
Clevelands	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	3	1— 9
At Philadelphia—									
Philadelphias	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0— 8
Pittsburghs	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0— 4
At New York—									
New Yorks	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	1— 7
Cincinnatis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2— 3
At Brooklyn—									
Chicagos	2	0	1	3	0	4	0	0	2—12
Brooklyns	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3— 6

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

At Boston—									
Buffalos	9	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—12
Bostons	0	1	0	0	3	0	3	0	2— 9
At Philadelphia—									
Philadelphias	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	0— 9
Chicagos	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0— 3
At New York—									
Clevelands	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1— 6
New Yorks	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	3— 6
At Brooklyn—									
Brooklyns	1	0	0	2	1	1	2	0	0— 7
Pittsburghs	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1— 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At St. Louis—									
St. Louis	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0— 6
Athletics	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1— 3
At Louisville—									
Louisvilles	3	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	*—10
Syracuse	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0— 3
At Columbus—									
Columbus	6	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	0—16
Brooklyns	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0— 2
At Toledo—									
Rochesters	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	1	*— 9
Toledos	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	0— 7

A Bad Defeat for the Canada Eleven.

Philadelphia, July 16.—In the international cricket match yesterday the Canada eleven finished their first inning with 141 runs to their credit. They went in for their second inning and were retired for 97 runs, or a total of 238 for the game, 31 less than the United States team made in their first inning Monday.

ON THE JERSEY COAST.

A Chance for Messrs. Childs and Drexel's Big Hotel Enterprise.

New York, July 16.—G. W. Childs and A. J. Drexel now have an opportunity to execute their long cherished plan of laying out the finest park and building the biggest hotel on the Jersey coast. The plan might have been executed long ago had those gentlemen been able to purchase the land at Elberon owned by the heirs of Judge John Hull. The property includes more than one hundred and thirty-five acres of the most desirable land to be found along the coast between Seabright and Point Pleasant. It is just south of the Elberon Hotel. Messrs. Childs and Drexel some time ago entered into negotiations for the purchase of the property, it being their desire to obtain another tract which adjoins the Hull property and lay out a fine park, big hotel and a number of pretty cottages. One of the heirs of the estate prevented the execution of the plans by opposing the sale, and is said to have been encouraged in his attitude by Ex-Judge Henry Hilton, who also desired to purchase a portion of the land and build a big hotel. The heir who blocked the sale has now consented to dispose of the property. It will be sold at Elberon on August 1, and it is believed that Messrs. Childs and Drexel will be the purchasers. If they get possession of the property a park will be laid out and a big hotel that will arouse the envy of all other hotel proprietors on the Jersey coast will be erected.

Panic at a Fire.

Cincinnati, July 15.—Twenty women and girls by their screams and frantic gesticulations from the upper story windows of Geo. Dube's rag warehouse at No. 29 West Second street, gave the information shortly before noon yesterday that the building was on fire. A frightful panic seized the women, but with the aid of the neighbors and the use of the fire-escapes they were all rescued with but trifling injuries. The fire department managed to keep the fire within the building, though it was in a closely-built and rather combustible locality. The loss is estimated at $10,000, with insurance for $6,000.

Another of the Hurley Bank Robbers Arrested.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—A special from Ishpeming, Mich., to the Tribune says the sheriff of Winnebago County, Wis., and a Pinkerton detective from Chicago, arrested L. Perrin here yesterday for complicity in the Hurley Bank robbery. The prisoner is the father of Phelps Perrin, who is now on trial for the robbery of $40,000 from the Hurley Bank some months ago. The trio left last night for Ashland.

Resumed Work After Six Years.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 16.—Work was resumed in the Maltby colliery yesterday morning. This mine has been idle for nearly six years. It will now give employment to over three hundred men and boys.

The Fuller colliery, which has been flooded for over a year, is being pumped out and will probably resume operations soon.

A Righteous Judgment.

New York, July 16.—James Moore, assignee of the English investors in the fraudulent Electric Sugar Company was yesterday awarded judgment against J. H. Robertson and W. H. Cottrell, officers of the company who induced the plaintiffs to invest in the concern.

Capsized and Drowned.

Ely, Vt., July 16.—The steam tug Pearl was capsized and sunk in Fairlee pond during a severe storm yesterday, and Captain Frank Brown, aged thirty-three, was drowned. Several other boats were upset, but their occupants escaped.

Rumors of Another Race War.

Charleston, S. C., July 16.—A conflict between whites and blacks is reported to be in progress in Barnwell County, S. C. Reporters have started for the scene of the rumored trouble, which is not accessible by wire.

Several Suits for Libel.

New York, July 16.—The Granite State Provident Association has begun suit for $20,000 damages against several New York and Brooklyn editors and reporters for causing articles injurious to the association to be published.

FROM THE OLD WORLD

Sudden Rise in the Price of Silver Bars.

THE PEACE COMMISSION RIDICULED.

Salvation Army Gathering—Electric Cabs—Fell From His Balloon—Italian Brigandage—Germany's New East African Territory.

England.

SUDDEN RISE IN SILVER.

London, July 16.—The signing of the Silver bill by President Harrison, although it was looked upon as a foregone conclusion, had a very stimulating effect upon prices in the stock exchange. Bar silver was, of course, the first to feel the influence of the President's confirmation of the silver legislation of Congress, and at once rose to fifty pence an ounce, a selling price it has not attained for several years. American securities also took on a degree of sympathetic action and orders to buy were cabled to New York. The increase in the prices of silver is by no means to be regarded as permanent, however. The practical effect of the new American Silver law has been thoroughly discounted, and the opinion is general that the present activity in silver bullion will not continue long and that the price will gradually recede to a point little if any above the figures which have ruled for the last year.

THE PEACE CONGRESS RIDICULED.

The St. James Gazette sneers at the peace congress, which it regards as a gathering of fossilized philanthropists whose ideas are as impracticable as they are absolete. While Mr. Field and his fellow reformers are endeavoring to beat swords into plowshares it would be well for them to take cognizance of the potent fact that the hostile Tariff bill now under consideration in the American Congress typifies a most barbarous form of war, in that it assails not armies, but homes.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

The Salvationists are in full cry at the Crystal Palace, where the army, 60,000 strong is assembled. The exercises are of a most fervid and demonstrative character and noisy as they can well be, the music playing the airs which the army has made exclusively its own, and the "knee drills" and other evolutions peculiar to the military-evangelical organization are scarcely less prolific of sounds unwelcome to the ear.

ELECTRIC CABS.

A system of electric cabs has been introduced in Stuttgart with a degree of success that promises the permanent relegation of the cab horse to other fields of usefulness. The new vehicles are already popular, though at present their novelty has much to do with the patronage they receive.

FELL FROM HIS BALOON.

At Palermo, yesterday, an aeronaut named Colia fell from a balloon and struck the roof of the Cathedral, where he lay mangled and bleeding until taken to the hospital to die.

ITALIAN BRIGANDAGE.

It may interest Americans to know that, according to the developments of a recent case of brigandage in Italy, Italian brigands are so thoroughly organized that should a member of one of the band prove unfaithful he would be followed to America and put to death. Senor Aorigo who a short time ago was carried off by brigands and ransomed for 100,000 francs, states that while under guard in a grotto he suggested to the brigand left in charge that he would give him much more than his share of the ransom to allow him to escape, and that the brigand could thereupon fly to America. The guard replied that he would willingly accept the proposition, only that even in America he would be found and killed.

GERMANY'S NEW AFRICAN TERRITORY.

The new German territory in East Africa is about twice the size of Germany, not including any part of the great African lakes in the measurement.

PASSED ITS THIRD READING.

London, July 16.—The bill providing for the cession of Heligoland to Germany passed its third reading in the House of Lords yesterday evening, with only a verbal amendment which in no way altered the sense of the measure.

Germany.

A TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT.

Berlin, July 16.—Lieutenant Baron Gravenreuth has been temporarily appointed German Imperial Commissioner in East Africa, in the absence of Baron Wissmann.

Fatal Explosion of Giant Powder.

Cincinnati, O., July 15.—It is reported that a car containing several tons of giant powder exploded at Dean's Station, O., to-day, and five persons were killed and fifteen injured.

Later.

Cincinnati, July 16.—Later news from Dean's Station is that ten bodies have been recovered from the ruins. Thirty are known to be injured. It is thought definite news is more likely to swell the list of casualties than to diminished it.

Overcome by Well Gas.

Muscogee, I. T., July 16.—Green Sherman was overcome while cleaning a well yesterday. John Doyle rescued him, but was also prostrated. Sherman is dying and Doyle is in a critical condition.

The New Croton Aqueduct.

New York, July 16.—Water was let into the Central Park reservoir yesterday for the first time through the new Croton aqueduct, which has been six years in building.

Resigned.

New York, July 16.—Assistant United States District Attorney Rose has resigned to resume his private practice at the law.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Proposed Memorial Tablet to Commemorate the Pan-American Conference.

Washington, July 16.—The President sent to Congress yesterday a letter from the Secretary of State on the subject of a proposed memorial tablet to commemorate the Pan-American conference. Secretary Blaine's letter incloses the resolution adopted by the conference, as follows:

Resolved, That all the delegates here present, the United States delegates included, vote and provide the means to place, with the necessary permission, on the walls of the room in the Department of State in which were inaugurated our sessions, a bronze tablet which shall contain, above the roll of the delegations, the following inscription in the four languages of this conference: "The nations of North, South and Central America resolve that it be commemorated that in this room on the second day of October of the year 1889, James G. Blaine, Secretary of State of the United States, presiding, were opened the sessions of the International American conference, which, besides other measures destined to promote the union and welfare to the people of this continent, recommended to them as a guaranty of peace the principle of obligatory arbitration."

The President made no recommendation.

Arrest of the Assassin Minas.

Washington, July 16.—The Department of State is informed of the arrest of Minas, who assassinated the wife of Rev. John N. Wright, an American missionary, in Salmas, Persia, on the 14th of May last. Minas was a teacher in the mission school, and had just been dismissed from his place for improper conduct. The arrest of Minas was mainly due to the efficiency of the British Consul-General at Tabriza and Colonel Stewart before whom he will be brought for trial.

The Civil-Service Commission Sustained.

Washington, July 16.—Attorney-General Miller has rendered a decision in the case of the three railway mail transfer clerks at Albany, N. Y., in which he sustains the decision of the Civil-Service Commission, which held that these appointments were illegally made, because the appointees had not been examined as required by the Civil-Service rules.

Bond Purchases—Gold Shipments.

Washington, July 16.—The Treasury Department yesterday purchased $30,000 four-per-cent. bonds at 103. The Department was advised yesterday of the shipment of half a million dollars worth of gold bars from New York; making $2,500,000 shipped abroad in the past five days.

The Use of Public Piers.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 16.—The Board of Managers of the Lake Carriers' Association, representing the organized vessel owners of the great lakes, met yesterday. Resolutions were adopted protesting against the passage by Congress of bills designed to grant the use of any United States pier, wharf or other harbor property for the use of any private individual or corporation. They say that all piers, wharves or other harbor property on which public money has been expended should be held for the use of the general public and pray Congress to take and hold them for such purposes.

A copy of the resolutions will be sent to members of Congress representing the lake district.

Identified.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 16.—The young man who jumped into the rapids and was carried over the Niagara Falls Monday afternoon has been definitely identified as Alexander H. Whippert, aged twenty years, of this city. He was employed as driver of a laundry wagon and lived with his parents on High street. He ate dinner with his family Monday and seemed to be in good spirits. He stated that he was going to the Falls. No motive for the deed is known.

A Yacht's Crew Drowned.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 16.—The yacht Marion, of South Boston, from Rye Beach to Pigeon Cove, struck a rock Tuesday night and was sunk. The crew of four got into the tender, which was swamped several times, and three of them were drowned.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } Lucas County, s. s. }

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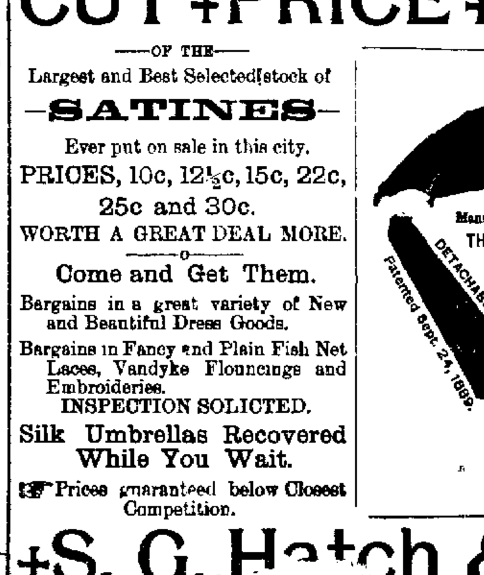

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Pupils desiring to continue music lessons this summer under my instructions, please call at 125 W. Wood street. N. Aileen Radcliff. june27-dtf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Look Here Detectives.
There will be a quarterly meeting of the Anti-Horse Theif Company of Long Creek township at Bois d'Arc school house, Monday night, July 28th, 1890.
Milton Clark, Captain.
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Pensions.
Call on C. R. Spore, Pension Attorney and Notary Public, when you have a pension or other war claim to present. [illegible] stairs west of post office.

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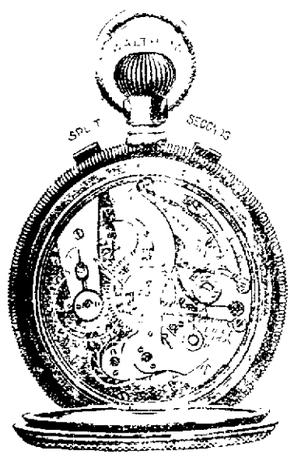

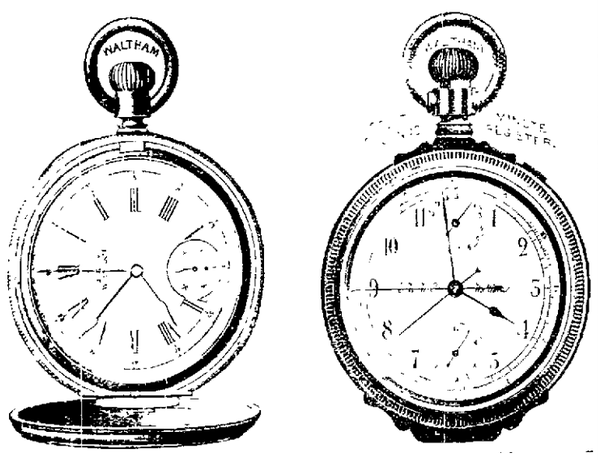

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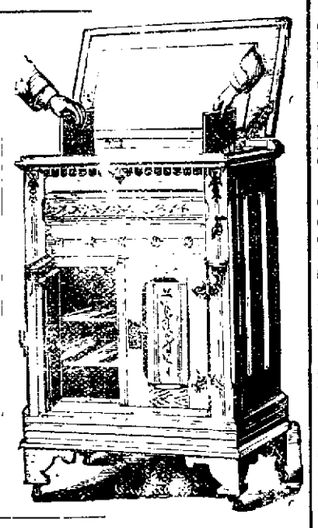

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We offer the following prizes for the Best and Second Best Bushel of 1890 Wheat, same to be delivered at our office on or before August first:

ONE BBL. WHITE LOAF For Best.
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NOTICE.—The Wheat entered for competition to be retained by us, but we agree to give in return a 25 lb. sack of DAILY BREAD Flour for each bushel of Wheat entered.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. KEGEY, of Blue Mound township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 16, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

EVERYBODY should have a Rose Bowl. You will find them at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

SMOKE the "Gem."

FRANK WALKER is a dandy starter.

LOLA'S novels at West's Book Store.

IT IS boss—the Little Corporal cigar.

THE last carload of race-horse cranks got in last night at 9 o'clock.

CALL on Hanks & Patterson for the best of groceries, fruits and fresh butter.

SMOKE the "Gem."

THE best of family groceries and early vegetables at J. Lytle & Co.'s store.

YOU will like White Foam flour. Try it.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

SMOKE the "Gem."

HAVE your pictures taken at Den Chamberlain's popular gallery.

REV. W. H. ILSLEY, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Macon, has been granted a pension.

WHIPPED cream soda, sold only at Irwin's pharmacy, is nutritious and refreshing. 14-d6

J. T. MCDERMOTT will deliver a temperance lecture at Oakland Park to-night. Admission 10 cents.

THE ladies of the Macedonia Baptist church will give an Ice Cream supper at the church, on South Broadway, Friday night. All are invited.

EVERYTHING in toilet goods at bottom prices at Irwin's pharmacy. 14-d6

LAST evening Sheriff Manzy received word from Assumption that his cattle were dying. He has 40 head of cattle at his farm. The sheriff left for Assumption on the first train.

OSBORNE makes the Little Corporal.

JAMES M. JOURDAN and Miss Frances Glaze, of Decatur, have secured a marriage license.

GOOD EYE. Call at the Barry Shooting Gallery at 153 East Prairie street, south of National bank. Rifle and pistol practice. 15-d1w⁴

YOUNG BROS. & MARIS will close up their place of business to-morrow at 1 o'clock in order to enable their employes to attend the races.

AT the business meeting held last evening the Charitable Union decided not to transfer the Woman's Exchange to private parties, and it will be continued as heretofore.

ON July 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th the train on the Champaign line will not leave Decatur until 5 p. m., on account of the races. C. O. JUDSON, ticket agent.

THERE will be a meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. on Thursday evening at the W. C. T. U. rooms in Library Block. An excellent program will be rendered. Everybody is invited to come and have a good time.

FINEST chocolate ice cream soda at Irwin's pharmacy, southwest corner P. O. block. 14-d6

EVERYBODY should run to O. B. Prescott's music store and capture bargains in Haines, Sterling and Everett pianos. Go now.

GEO. W. EHRHART & Co. received a carload of choice Georgia watermelons to-day, direct from the vines. They will receive a carload of Port Limon bananas to-morrow.

IN Justice Hammer's court yesterday W. W. Foster, ex-fire marshal and water inspector, obtained judgment against the city of Decatur for $66.66, balance due him on salary.

OLD POINT COMFORT is famous for its breakers; Cole's Carbolisalve breaks the record for the famous comfort it affords. It heals all skin irritations and cures burns, scalds, itch, ulcers, piles, chaps and chafes.

ALL of the Decatur hotels were crowded to the parlors and halls last night. What will the strangers do to-night and to-morrow night?

Have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for croup and colds, and declare it a positive cure. Contributed by Wm. Kay, 570 Plymouth Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

News From Troutman.

The oat harvest is in full blast. A good many say the oat crop will not amount to anything.

Hay harvest is about done. The quality is good, but there is a small crop.

Rev Broke organized an Epworth Christian Aid Society at Sharon last Sunday.

The members of Sharon church will give a festival in the near future.

Mrs. William Gepford is at the point of death with consumption.

Mr. and Mrs. Short, of Emporia, Kansas, visited Mrs. Short's brother, R. M. Park, last week.

Miss Mamie Chamberlain, of Macon, was in town this week.

Maple Grove school has employed a teacher for the coming winter term.

Mrs. J. Troutman was sexton at Sharon yesterday and gave the church a good dusting out.

A good many from here attended the camp-meeting at Oakland Park last Sunday evening.

M. C. Glasco is building a new kitchen.

The trial between Robert Holderness and his hired hand, which was set for last Saturday, before Squire Bradshaw, of Harristown, was continued until Thursday.

The potato crop is short.

The apples and small fruit were damaged by the big hail last week.

Dr. Hostetler paid a professional visit west of here Monday.

The weather is cool and pleasant.

July 16. READER.

Will Close Up.

We, the undersigned jewelers, agree to close our respective places of business on Thursday, July 17, at 12 o'clock noon, to enable all to attend the races, and to remain closed for the balance of the day.

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RACING AT THE PARK.

The Decatur Meeting Has a Good Start—The Winners.

The Trots and Pacing—A Fine Exhibition—The Official Time.

Probably 2000 people were at the handsome new park of the Decatur Trotting Association yesterday afternoon at the opening of the races of the Central Illinois Circuit. The management had worked hard and successfully in preparing for the inaugural meeting, and so far as the REPUBLICAN reporter could see the smallest detail that would add to the success of the event had been looked after. In brief, it was an auspicious and successful beginning, though of course the contests were prolonged to a rather late hour. It was dark—8 o'clock—before the last heat in the 2:24 class was trotted.

F. D. Walker, of Indianapolis, was the starter; D. W. Girard, of Danville, A. W. Kinney, of Chicago, and George W. Stoner, of LaPlace, judges; and C. P. Honsum, of Decatur; Dr. J. L. Connelly, of Harristown, and F. A. Bolser, of Newcastle, Ind., timers.

THE RACES.

The trots and pace were quite interesting and aroused some excitement at intervals. In the colt trot *Free* had an easy victory, although in the second heat *Major* came in ahead. In the third heat *Major* broke badly, and although he passed under the wire second, he was set back to fourth place for infraction of rules.

The 2:35 trot was a walk away for *Mondace*, winning in three straight heats. *Red Cloud* was a close second, with *Nellie McGregor* third and *Lady K* fourth.

In the 2:24 trot there was vastly more excitement because of the trick work by jockeys in the fifth heat. It was thought that *Maralia* would get away with first money, but it was soon observed that *Billy McGregor* had decided to get to the front, and he skipped along at a rapid gait, winning the third and fourth heats. *Maralia* took the first heat and *Reality* the second. It was nearly dark when the fifth heat was trotted, and at the finish it was so close between *Bassenger Boy* and *Billy McGregor* that the judges took a long time to reach a decision. The proof was that the driver of one of the horses had used his whip improperly and there were other protests. Finally, to the satisfaction of the crowd, the judges decided it was no heat. The trot will be decided to-day in one heat.

The 2:45 pace was a pudding for *Jim Clinker*. *H. H. P.* did splendidly in one heat, but Barlow got him in a pocket in the second heat. He couldn't get out in time to crowd the winner as he might have done. In this race *Joe Egbert*, a Decatur horse, displayed good staying qualities and won fourth money.

COLT TROT—PURSE $200

Four starters—	HEATS		
Free, bay filley, Prospect Hill Farm, Franklin, Pa.	1	2	1
Major, bay colt, Thos. Wilson, Pleasant Plains, Ill.	2	1	4
Bianca, bay filley, Fred E. Perkins, Providence, R. I.	3	3	2
Nutpick, bay colt, P. B. White, Quincy, Ill.	4	4	3

Time—2:53, 2:51¼, 2:46¾.
Free, first money; Major second, Bianca third, Nutpick fourth. Mr. Walker announced that Major, who came in second in the third heat, under the rules was set back to fourth place, because he made 9 separate breaks in the heat.

2.35 TROT PURSE $500.

Eight starters—	HEATS.			
Mondace, bay gelding, W. T. Dickson, St. Louis	1	1	1	
Red Cloud, b g., F. Kinney, Oswego, Kansas	2	2	3	
Ellington D., g. s., J. S. Castle, Quincy, Ill	2	7	dis	
Lady K., s m., J. J. Skogland, Princeton, Ill.	4	4	5	
Abdallah Boy, William Henson, Lisbon, Iowa	5	5	4	
Nellie McGregor, b. m., C. H. Griswold, Milo, Ill	6	3	2	
Bismarck, b. g., L. C. Tatro, New Richmond, Wis	7	drawn		
Whalebone, b. g., L. G. Hague, Bloomington, Ill	8	6	dis	

Time—2:39, 2:36¼, 2:34¼.
By permission Bismarck drawn before second heat, he had thrown a shoe and cut a leg.
Mondace, first money; Red Cloud second, Nellie McGregor third, Lady K, fourth.

2.24 TROT—PURSE $500.

Eight starters—	HEATS.			
Maralia, ch. m., Prospect Hill Farm, Franklin, Pa.	1	2	4	0
Walter E, b. g., Bob Stewart, Kansas City, Mo	2	4	5	2
Reality, b. m., Buck Dickerson, Greensburg, Ind.	3	1	0	0
Billy McGregor, b. s., C. H. Griswold, Milo, Ill.	4	3	1	1
Romeo, W. F. Dickson, St. Louis	5	7	8	6
Bassenger Boy, blk. g., W. H. Werner, Wilmington, Ill	6	8	6	5
Jalseo, b. s., Isaac A. Case, Goshen, Indiana	7	6	3	7
Captain, g. g., R. Bean, Emporia, Kansas	8	5	7	dr

Owing to objectionable work of jockeys in the fifth heat, after long delay, the judges decided it no heat, which gave general satisfaction. The deciding heat will be trotted July 16th.
Time—2:29¾, 2:27, 2:29¼, 2:30.

2:45 CLASS—PACING PURSE $500.

Eight starters—	HEATS.		
Jim Clinker, b. g., James Longshore, Belton, Mo	1	1	1
H. H. P., b. g., F. C. Barlow, Toledo, O.	2	6	4
Walter Wilton, b. g., H. B. Calef, Monticello, Ill.	3	5	8
Easter Girl, ch. m., Miles & Jackson, Rushville, Ind.	4	2	2
Argot Wilkes, b. s., Walter Dunn, Humboldt, Ill.	5	4	5
Fred F., sor. g., J. H. Freeman, Crawfordsville, Ind.	6	8	7
Joe Egbert, Brenneman & Watt, Decatur, Ill.	7	3	3
John Bonar, g. g., Bruce Carr, Indianapolis, Ind.	8	7	6

Jim Clinker, first money; Easter Girl second, H. H. P. third, Joe Egbert fourth.
Time—2:35¼, 2:32¼, 2:30¾.

THE TIME MADE

in the different races at the quarter, half three-quarters and mile is given below:

Two year-old colt race—First mile, 45½, 1:27¾, 2:11½, 2:53; second mile, 44¼, 1:25¼, 2:09¾, 2:51¼; third mile, 43, 1:22¾, 2:05¼, 2:46¼.

The 2:35 trot—First mile, 41¾, 1:20, 1:59¾, 2:39¼; second mile, 40, 1:17¾, 1:57½, 2:36¼; third mile, 39¾, 1:17½, 1:57, 2:34½.

The 2:24 trot—First mile, 37¼, 1:13¾, 1:51, 2:29¼; second mile, 37½, 1:14, 1:51, 2:27; third mile, 37¼, 1:14¼, 1:52, 2:29¾; fourth mile, 37½, 1:14½, 1:52¾, 2:30, fifth mile, 38¼, 1:15¾, 1:53, 2:30.

The 2:45 pace—First mile, 40, 1:18, 1:53, 2:35¼, second mile, 39, 1:18½, 1:50½, 2:32¾; third mile, 39, 1:15, 1:52¾, 2:30½.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Foal of 1886, trotting; purse, $200. Three in five.

Three starters—	HEATS.	
May King, b. c., Prospect Hill Farm, Franklin, Pa.	1	2
Brandoline, b. c., C. F. Emery, Cleveland, Ohio	2	1
Orinoco, b. c., George B. Easton, Peoria, Illinois	3	3

Time—2:30, 2:33¼.

BILLY M'GREGOR WINS.

Bassenger Boy won two heats in the trot-off. His time was 2:24¾ and 2:26¼. The horses in the first heat finished as follows: *Bassenger Boy*, first; *Walter E.* second; *McGregor* third; *Romeo*, fourth; *Maralia*, fifth; *Reality*, sixth, and *Jalisco* distanced. In the second *Bassinger Boy* finished first, *McGregor* second, *Mollie* third, and *Reality* fourth. In this heat the other horses were thrown out on account of their not winning a heat.

The deciding heat was won by *Billy McGregor*, with *Bassenger Boy* second, *Maralia* third, and *Reality* fourth. *Billy McGregor* gets first money. His time was 2:25¾.

TRACK NOTES.

Herd Anderson, of Dayton, Ohio, is one of the visiting horse reporters at the meeting. He represents the *Kentucky Stock Farm*, published at Lexington, a recognized authority on fine-bred horses. What Anderson doesn't know about horse owners, jockeys and records isn't worth mentioning.

Starter Walker is the right man for the place. It was suggested that he receives $25 to $50 a day for his services.

President Ullrich and Secretary Taylor find time to enjoy the races, although they are among the busiest officials at the park.

Pool selling don't go with a rush. A. A. Swearingen has a lot of chipper helpers, but they didn't make much headway yesterday in selling pools. Biz may be better. The pool stalls are at the north end of the grand stand.

To-morrow will be the big day when business houses will close and the country visitors will take in the races.

Will Attend the Races.

The following business men and merchants have agreed to close up their places of business on Thursday afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock in order to enable their employes to attend the races on that day: Henry Bachrach, Linn & Scruggs, Race Clothing Manufacturing company, A. F. Ross, F. L. Hays, Bradley Bros., George W. Powers, Muleady & Son, Ottenheimer & Co., Watson & Moll, S. G. Hatch & Bro., C. L. Griswold & Co., I. W. Ehrman, Ferriss & Lapham, O. E. Curtis, Walter Hutchins, Roach Bros., J. G. Walker & Co., B. Stine Clothing company, Shellabarger Mill & Elevator company, Warren & Durfee Manufacturing company, Decatur Furniture company, Union Iron Works, Decatur Novelty Works, Decatur Coffin company, Joseph Mills Lumber Yard, Foster & Smith, Lyon & Armstrong, H. Mueller & Sons, J. G. Starr & Son and the Decatur Lumber & Manufacturing company.

A Severe Cut.

There was a slight disturbance this noon at the Hotel Brunswick. Albert Phenix, the colored dish-washer, for some unknown reason, struck one of the dining room girls and knocked her down. J. F. Curry, the proprietor, stepped to the kitchen, and noticing the melee, took hold of the colored lad and gave him a good pommeling. While this was in progress Mr. Curry accidentally cut himself with a knife which was lying on one of the tables, inflicting a very deep gash one inch in length in his left hand. The wound bled very profusely. Dr. Allen was called and found it necessary to take a half-dozen stitches in the wound. The fellow was discharged and the employes of the hotel are undoubtedly very glad that he is gone, for he was of a quarrelsome and surly disposition.

Two Fingers Amputated.

Thomas Meadows, an Illinois Central brakeman on freight No. 11, while making a coupling in the company's yards this morning about 8 o'clock, caught three fingers of his left hand between the bumpers, badly mashing and lacerating the flesh. He was taken up town and sent to the office of Drs. W. J. and C. Chenoweth, who found it necessary to amputate the ring and middle fingers. Meadows lives at Centralia, where he has a wife and four children. He was sent to Centralia.

Instantly Killed.

Palmer Yamens, a section boss on the Indianapolis, Decatur and Western road, was struck by an engine hauling the pay car and instantly killed, near Dana, Ind., yesterday. The pay train was not expected, and he was trying to get the hand-car off the track when struck.

W. H. GRINDOL & SON are completing four fine Scotch granite monuments One will be erected at Bloomington, Ill.; one south of Niantic; one at Riverside cemetery, near Illopolis, and one eight miles northeast of Shelbyville, Ill. Also one large American granite sarcophagus, to be erected in Greenwood cemetery in this city. Their house is full of good finished monuments and they have the largest and best class of workmen all the time. All their work is guaranteed They will increase their show room to double its present size after the races are over.

LAST evening Constable McWhinney armed with a warrant went to Clinton and brought back John Woid and Johnson Solomon, the two tramps who burglarized M. D. Kizer's store at Long Creek on July 9th. The tramps had property that had been taken from the store and each had on a stolen shirt. They are in the Decatur jail. Justice Curtis issued the warrant, and it was the scattering of descriptive cards by Marshal Mason that aided Sheriff Henson in finding the thieves.

JOHN H. SLEETER, of Boody, was in the city yesterday talking up the county Sunday school convention. He extends a wide invitation to everybody to attend the convention. The people of Boody and vicinity are expecting a large gathering, and they will be prepared to care for all. The probability is that a large tent will be put up adjoining the church under which a great dinner will be spread.

THE Ogarita comedy company will take a rest until Thursday night, when "American Born" will be the bill. There was no performance last night and there will be none to-night, because of the serious illness of two members of the company.

Will Close To-Morrow Afternoon.

Geo. W. Ehrhart & Co. will close their wholesale house at 12 o'clock to-morrow, and remain closed all afternoon, to enable their men to attend the races. Dealers should make a note of this.

GEO. W. EHRHART & Co.

S. E. GROSS, OF CHICAGO, the largest real estate promotor in the world, has opened an office in Decatur, 136 Merchant street, over Morgan's Bazar, for the sale of his lots. Lots $125 to $1000. Call and see his salesman, J. H. Gross, who will show you plats and maps of the many lots he has to sell. Terms—tenth cash, balance small monthly payments. Call and investigate.

Rugs, Rugs, Rugs.

Just received 140 Smyrna Rugs, same as advertised and sold at 25 cents. Our price will be 15 cents. Also 100 ditto, 18x36, same as advertised and sold at 88 cents. Our price will be 65 cents. Also 100 ditto, 22x50, same as advertised and sold at $1.25. Our price will be 98 cents. Also 100 ditto, 30x60, same as advertised and sold at $2.12. Our price will be $1.70. Also 100 ditto, 30x72, same as advertised and sold at $3.15. Our price will be $2.68. LINN & SCRUGGS.

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New Pension Law.

Soldiers, widows, and dependent parents, can ascertain, if they are entitled to a Pension, by calling on the undersigned, who is now prepared to prosecute all claims for Pension, under said law. For information call on or address,

B. I. STERRETT,
jul3-10* Office over P. O., Decatur, Ill.

Died at St. Joe.

The remains of Herbert F. Randolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Randolph, this city, arrived in Decatur to-day and were taken through to Indianapolis for burial, accompanied by the parents and brother, Cyrus Randolph. Herbert had been ill at St. Joe, Mo., for ten days, and died Monday night. His relatives knew of his sickness, and the father started for St. Joe Monday evening, arriving there after the death. Deceased was 35 years of age, and leaves a wife and child at Indianapolis. He was traveling for the Decatur Milling Company at the time of his death. Herb. was a man of intelligence and excellent business qualifications, and had many personal friends throughout the country.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. M. Cox is in St. Louis on business.

Rev. Wm. Thomas left for Macon today.

W. N. Brown, of Pana, is in the city attending the races.

Miss Anna Mills, of Terre Haute, is visiting Miss Lou Miller.

Miss Mabel Miller, of Blue Mound, is in the city shopping to-day.

S. T. Keeler and daughter, Miss Lucy, returned from Danville last evening.

Secretary Hall, of the Pana Coal company, was in Decatur to-day on business.

Charles and Clem Goodwin, of Bloomington, are in the city visiting Ed Johnson and attending the races.

Miss Eva Braden, of Marna, is in the city visiting Mrs. A. O. Bolen.

Rev. George E. Scrimger departed last evening for Denver, Colo., where he will visit for a month.

Misses Montie Bridges and Anna Johnson departed to-day for Carlinville, to visit Miss Johnson's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ewing, who hav been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. Ewing, departed this morning for their home in Chicago.

Mrs. George E. Scrimger departed last evening for Lexington, McLean county, where she will visit relatives for a month.

George Lathrop, of Bloomington, arrived in the city last evening to visit his mother, who resides on North Main street.

Mrs. C. T. Hildebrandt and Miss Judith Hill leave Sunday night for Lake Bluff, where they will visit for a month or longer.

Thomas Hays, who is 76 years of age, is confined to his home by illness. He is suffering from an attack of cholera morbus.

Miss Ella Elliott, stenographer in W. T. Roberts' grain office, returned yesterday from Indianapolis, where she has been visiting relatives.

Misses Lennie and Edith Smith, of Macon, who have been visiting Misses Bertha and Cora Whitmer for several days, returned home to-day.

Mrs. Joseph Metlin and daughter departed last night for their home in Bitter Creek, Montana, after visiting J. P. Smallwood and family, of this city.

Mrs. A. Nebinger and children are spending to-day in the country near Maroa visiting friends. They will return to Decatur to-morrow morning.

Miss Lizzie Kneiper, who has been attending the New England Conservatory at Boston, arrived home yesterday afternoon. She stopped at Toledo, Grand Rapids and other points on her return trip and visited relatives.

G. D. Harvey and wife, of Boston, who have been visiting O. Z. Greene and family for a week, will leave for the east tomorrow. Mr. H. is a member of the firm of Farley, Harvey & Co., importers and jobbers of dry goods, Boston.

Herbert Eldridge, of Gainesville, Texas, who was called here by the illness of his sister (whose condition is now much improved), left this noon for Chicago, where he will visit relatives until Saturday. He will return to Gainesville the first part of next week.

Engineer William Grosh, of the Effingham division of the Wabash, departed last evening, accompanied by his family, for Savannah, Ill., where he will visit relatives. They will visit St. Paul before returning home. Charles Powers will run the engine during Grosh's absence.

George A. McClellan, general agent for the State Phonograph Co., Chicago, is at the St. Nicholas with one of the wonderful inventions, which is in use in the east, and is destined to come into use generally. To those who have never seen a phonograph in operation it is quite a curiosity.

Conrad Hermann, a stone-mason of some note, departed this morning for his home in Dayton, Ohio. He had the contract for the stone work at the Loeb residence on Prairie Avenue. He completed the work yesterday and it is a splendid piece of masonry, a fitting base for the handsome mansion which Mr. Loeb is creating.

Sales of Real Estate.

Michael Semelch to Sarah M. Peck, deed to lot 12, block 2, S. C Allen's subdivision, $600.

WORDS cannot express the gratitude which people feel for the benefit done them by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Long standing cases of rheumatism yield to this remedy, when all others fail to give relief. This medicine thoroughly expels the poison from the blood.

Why John Bull Will Never Tackle His Big Brother Jonathan.

The Hon. Hugh J. McKimmon, of Toronto, a prominent Canadian lawyer, real estate owner, and railway official, recently said to a reporter of the Detroit *Free Press*: "England is in a position to-day where she does not dare to declare war against any formidable nation on earth—much less the United States, which is more powerful than any other two nations combined. This country can climb all over Great Britain with muddy and hobnailed boots, and she will smile only a sad, sweet smile and profess to believe that it is intended as a loving caress. Whatever the Government of England may be, those who are running things political over there are a long way from being fools. Suppose, for instance, that the worst came to the worst in this Behring Sea difficulty and blows were struck and war declared. This country, fighting right here at home and with everything in its favor, would thrash the jacket off of her. But that would not be the worst of it—from an English standpoint. After England was beautifully whipped and was loafing around the hospital feeling of her bruises she would discover suddenly that Ireland was gone from her forever, Canada a portion of the United States, India a free government, and Australia and New Zealand consolidated and running things to suit themselves. Then England would limp back to her solitary little isle and attempt to climb back upon her throne, only to find the throne back in the woodshed of current events, and a free and glorious Republic doing a rushing business at the old stand. O, no! England isn't going to war with the United States over a few stray seals—not this year."

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At 15c — 100 Pieces Fine Wool Challies, very handsome patterns, former price 25c—reduced to 15c.

At 29c — 50 doz. full regular Imported French Ladies' Hose, cost 50c a pair, will be closed out at 29c.

At 33⅓c — 100 dozen Gentlemen's Gauze Shirts, special bargain at 33⅓c, former price 50c.

At 25c — 500 pairs Imported Black All Silk Jersey Mitts, best value ever offered, at 25c.

At 35c — 10 pieces 48-inch wide Black Drapery Fish Net, grand bargain, at 35c—well worth 60c

At 98c — 200 26-inch Gloria Sun Umbrellas, the biggest bargain ever offered, at 98c, actually worth $1.25.

At 10c — 100 pieces French Styles Outing Cloth, in rich, wide stripes, will be closed out at 10c, worth 20c.

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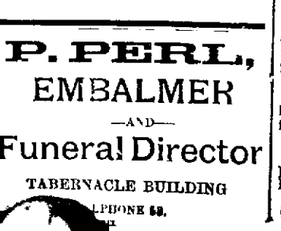

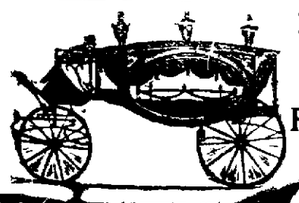

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A FAIR FARE SPOTTER.

THE WAY A WOMAN DETECTS DISHONEST CAR CONDUCTORS

She Has a Remarkable Memory for Numbers—She Always Pays Her Fare and Rides with Different Men—The Way Collectors of Fares Can Cheat.

I met a female spotter and was surprised to find out to what an extent this system of espionage is carried on by the principal horse car lines in the city. The young woman detective with whom I came in contact was an exceedingly prepossessing looking girl, quietly dressed in a gray fall gown with small round hat to match.

On the occasion of my first meeting with the queer thing I did, she quietly laughingly with a pretty gesture of perplexity. My experiences would fill a good sized volume. But come up to my room as we talk. My hours are from 11 to 1 as it is now 5 o'clock I am at liberty until tomorrow morning.

She led the way up to a small flat in West Fifty-sixth street furnished in a dainty manner with evidences of refined mind and cultivated taste.

After she had kissed my mother, myself and one little child, explained that jolly looking little dumpling of a woman came in and greeted us. She was evidently an ardent admirer of her daughter's pluck, coolness and capabilities.

LESSON OF DISCOVERY.

We sat here and laughed by the hour after I got home over my day's adventures, and my mother, she rattled on.

Do you find it tedious on mind the position it places you in?

Why, not at all. I've become so used to it now. Let me see, it's three years since I first began and I haven't been found out yet. Of course it requires a great deal of tact and watchfulness to be able to go over the same road day after day and not be suspected by the different conductors, but I am very careful not to go on the same car more than once a day, though occasionally if I take say car 49 down in the morning I can find the same one coming back at night, thus giving the impression that I have been down town to business all day.

She said she made a point never to start at the beginning of the road nor to end at the terminus.

I have been engaged in this work so long now, she continued, that I can tell at a distance whether my right car is coming, whether I have been a passenger in it before or not.

The real sleuths always employ men as spotters during the early morning hours and later in the afternoon, the traffic during these portions of the day being greater than at any other times. But in respect to the chances of discovery, the men are comparatively few passengers are willing to risk.

Are you an expert?

Well, they call me an expert, but I was doubtfully nervous at first and painfully conscious. Every time the conductor looked at me I expected to see him walking up to his hand on my shoulder and telling me that he knew just what I was there for, but this feeling gradually wore off until now I can look comparacently free and hand him my fare without even a quiver of the eyelids.

DUTIES OF A SPOTTER.

What are you charged to do?

In the first place I must take the conductor's number and the number of the car. Naturally if I do any distance these can be easily remembered without the aid of pencil or paper. Then the passing is noted as they come. At the beginning of my career I pursued quite a novel idea of turning over leaves of the book I was pretending to read on the occasion of every fresh arrival, this action apparently indicating to the idea that I was carelessly passing the contents but as time passed on I found I could rely on my memory more and more, until now I have no difficulty whatever in retaining large numbers in my head for any length of time.

The fun spotter went on to say that there are always several spotters on one line and each takes a turn at every other's station. It would never do to stick to one during his entire trip, as he would find out the game so. When one spotter for instance watches him from Fourth to Thirtieth street and then gives off another spotter takes his place within a radius of a few blocks.

If I am mistaken she continued I think there were eight discharged through my investigation during the first six months of my work, but whether it is due to their gradually becoming aware that they are being constantly and closely watched or not there is certainly 100 per cent less cheating now than two years ago. Of the eight discharges which I just mentioned five were for cheating or knocking down, as they call it, one for impudence to a lady passenger, one for drunkenness and the last for throwing a newsboy off the car under the wheels of a heavy cart and nearly causing his death.

It is easy for conductors to defraud the company.

You can have no idea how easy it is for them to cheat, she replied. For instance at the Grand Central depot or at any shipping points such as Fourteenth or Twenty-third street at least a dozen or more will crowd into the car. What more easy than for the conductor to knock off a couple of fares. It only requires a second and it takes a very smart person to detect them sometimes.—New York Journal.

They Should Be Careful.

A high toned marriage engagement in Philadelphia has been broken off because the young lady incidentally referred to a dear friend of hers who played so sweetly on the mandolin. She meant mandolin of course but the young man could not forget and forgive. She might after marriage he argued speak of a sawox instead of a sawh ra.—Detroit Free Press.

The Pulpit and the Stage

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at King & Wood's drug store. Regular sizes 50c and $1.00. cm

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THE Old Reliable Peter Stuntzler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman. nov5-d&wtf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Value of a Silver Dollar.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, was twitted by Senator McPherson, of New Jersey, in the course of his silver speech with the fact that the silver dollars were only worth seventy two cents. Of course it "reminded him of a little story."

"I recollect," said he, "talking on this subject once with some senators in the cloak room. During the conversation one of the senate pages brought me a telegram, on which he said the telegraph messenger had told him there were fifty cents due. I gave the page a silver dollar and said to him:

"'I have been informed by some very respectable and intellectual gentlemen in here, some of them candidates for the presidency even, that this dollar is worth only seventy five cents. I do not want to cheat a little boy. Take this out, and if the boy thinks it is worth only seventy five cents he can send me back twenty five cents, and if he thinks it is worth a dollar he can send me back fifty cents. I will leave it to him.'

The page brought back fifty cents and said the telegraph boy told him he did not know what those old duffers in there might say, but it was as good a dollar as he wanted, and was very hard to get."—Cor. New York Tribune.

Burglars Caught by Electricity.

Electric burglar catching has received an impetus in Paris at the hands of an enterprising wine merchant in the Rue Secretan, who has just landed his fifth man in the following way. There is no concierge for his premises, and he has had his store connected with the room occupied by his waiters by means of an electric wire. When the burglar enters the bell in the waiters' room rings and the intruder is quietly nabbed. The wine merchant's experiment has been so successful that several other traders in the vicinity have adopted his modus operandi, and are now yearning for a real live "midnight marauder" to come their way.—Exchange.

Velocity of the Fly.

A physiologist in France has been observing the work of flies in flying and somehow has arrived at the conclusion that the wings of a fly make about 330 beats per second, and that such a fly can travel at the rate of a kilometer per minute. This is equal to the velocity of an express train. Assuming this to be so, then a fly could compass the earth's circumference in twenty eight days.—Exchange.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This wonderful liniment is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Lakes to the Gulf. It is the most penetrating liniment in the world. It will cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Old Sores, Burns, Scalds, Sore Throat, Sore Chest and all inflammation, after all other remedies have failed. It will cure Barbed Wire Cuts and heal all wounds where proud flesh has set in. It is equally efficient for animals. Try it and you will not be without it. Price 50 cents.

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THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

OUR carpets are cheap as you will perceive, BY COMPARING PRICES with other quotations published in the papers. But THE RELATIVE VALUES of our dress goods, black silk lace flouncings, hosiery, gloves, underwear, white goods, and linens are even greater in our favor than that which exists in the prices of our carpets.

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FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

WANTED—1000 bed ticks to fill at Lewis & Chambers' 45 East William street. apr25-dtf

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in a small family. Apply at 761 North Main street. july15-dtw*

WANTED—Everybody to buy hay, straw, ground feed, feed at retail and all kinds of feed of Lewis & Chambers, 45 East William St. apr23-dtf

UMBRELLA—A gold headed umbrella left at my house July 8th. Owner can have same by calling and identifying property. CHARLES YOUNG, 343 West Macon street. 11 lo*

CITY RESTAURANT—I have purchased the Restaurant of Pierce & Kirkmeyer on the side Main Square, where I am prepared to serve Lunches at all and any hour. Board by the day and week. Good meals for 25 cents. Give me a call. W. V. D. STAIN. j 1 lyr10-d&w10w

FOR SALE—An excellent Washburn Guitar in splendid condition. For sale cheap. Apply at this office. june30-dtf

LOST—If the lady who found on the 6th inst., a pair of gold frame spectacles, on the west side of Water St. between Eldorado and Cerro Gordo will leave the same at the Republican office she will confer a favor on the owner besides receiving a reward. je 11 tf

FOR RENT to a small family—One side of the double house at 550 West Main street, three pleasant rooms, cistern pump in the kitchen.—Otto F. Curtis & Bro.

FOR SALE—Good hard wood chairs at $ 50 per set. Woven wire springs $1 75. Nice comfort tables, from $1 50 to $ 5 50. Large cane seat rockers, at $ 1 and $ 1 50. BAUMAN BROS., the largest Furniture House in Decatur. june6 dtf

FOR SALE—My residence property, No. 716 West William street, best part of city for permanent residence. Reason for selling have bought other property. For terms, etc., call at my office. A. T. SUMMERS, 124 North Water street, or at the house, 716 West William street. mar30-dtf

NOW READY. I am now ready to clean wall paper thoroughly by the latest process and will clean house and do other work required in renovating homes. Leave orders at Heilman & Sisler's grocery store. Terms moderate. SIDNEY CHARRETT. mar28-dtf

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"About two years ago, after suffering for nearly two years from rheumatic gout, being able to walk only with great difficulty, and having tried various remedies, including mineral waters, without benefit, I saw by an advertisement in the Christian Union that a man had been relieved of this distressing complaint after long suffering, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I then decided to try a bottle of this medicine, and took it regularly for eight months. I can now say that it effected a complete cure, and that I have since had no return of the disease."

J. N. Stull, Nashua, N. H., writes: "One year ago I was full of rheumatism, being confined to my house six months. I came out of the hospital so much debilitated with the disease and my system disordered in every way. I commenced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and began to improve at once. I am now strong in health and soon recovered my usual health. I cannot say too much in praise of this well known medicine."

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When to go, what to do, how to do it, and the expense involved, questions vexating so many household, could importantly with the advent of summer, all answered satisfactorily in the pages of the handsome volume, entitled "Health and Pleasure," just issued by the Passenger Department of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad.

The book is profusely illustrated, contains several valuable maps, and the information it presents is given in a clear, concise manner. It embraces an extensive list of summer hotels and boarding houses along the Hudson, among the Catskills, in the Adirondack Mountains, at Saratoga, Lake George, Niagara Falls, and other resorts.

Copies of the book may be obtained free upon application to W. B. Jerome, General Western Agent, No. 5 Clark St., Chicago, or will be mailed postpaid upon receipt of ten cents in stamps by Geo. H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent, Grand Central Station, New York. jn 1 13

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On Monday, May 19, the Terre Haute and Peoria will change the time of their train leaving west and will have Decatur at 12 o'clock, noon.

This train will connect at Decatur with fast train on B. & M. railroad, which arrives at Lincoln at 4 next morning, at Hastings at 8 next morning, at McCook at 10 o'clock next morning, and at Denver at 10 30 next evening. This is the fastest time ever offered to the traveling public to the west, and several hours faster than by any other line out of Decatur. Passengers arrive at Lincoln, Hastings, McCook and Denver. Get tickets and further information, call on F. TENSWELL, 165 Merchant street. d tf

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The Wabash is the short line to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and all tourist points in Colorado. Its famous cannon ball train leaves Decatur at 8 30 every night, equipped with free reclining chair cars and Pullman palace sleeping cars. Only one day on the road to the above points, thus avoiding the heat and dust of day travel, arriving at Denver in the morning. The Wabash is the only line running chair and sleeping cars from Decatur to the west. Rates always as low as the lowest. Tickets and further information call on or address F. W. GREENE, Agent, Decatur, Ill. jy12

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Monday, July 8th, 1890, the T. H. & I. R. R. will run a through car with a good party to Spirit Lake, Okoboji, Tyrestone, Minn., train leaving at 1 noon, arriving at Spirit Lake and Tyrestone at 11 45 a. m. next morning. For rates, tickets and further information, call on T. TENSWELL, city ticket agent, 165 Merchant street, Decatur, Ill. jy8-d3w

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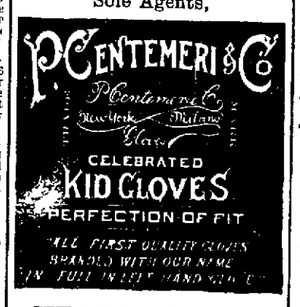

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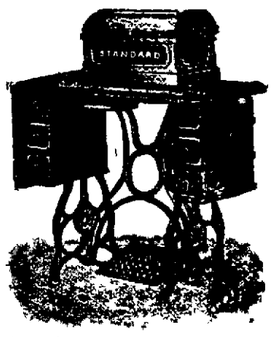

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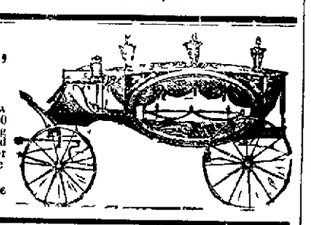

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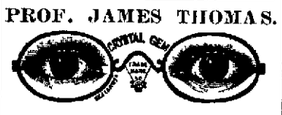

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No. 2 Pass	11 50 p m	No. 6 Pass	3 00 p m
No. 64 Freight	7 30 p m	No. 71 Freight	5 45 a m

FROM QUINCY AND HANNIBAL		TO QUINCY AND HANNIBAL	
No. 42 Pass	11 10 p m	No. 43 Pass	4 0 a m
No. 44 Pass	1 2 a m	No. 46 Pass	3 0 p m
No. 64 Pass	6 15 a m	No. 1 Pass	9 p m
No. 48 Acc.	7 05 p m	No. 47 Acc.	6 50 a m
No. 70 Freight	10 45 a m	No. 71 Freight	2 40 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT	
No. 43 Pass	3 50 a m	No. 46 Pass	6 25 a m
No. 45 Pass	2 50 p m	No. 44 Pass	11 15 a m
No. 41 Pass	3 00 p m	No. 42 Pass	10 42 p m
No. 47 Pass		No. 48 Pass	
Freight	10 55 a m	to Bement	3 15 p m

FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No. 3 Pass	3 55 a m	No. 4 Pass	12 05 a m
No. 5 Pass ex. Sunday	2 45 p m	No. 4 Pass ex. Sunday	11 25 a m
No. 1 Pass	8 50 p m	No. 6 Pass	6 45 a m

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NORTH		SOUTH	
No. 7 Pass	9 11 a m	No. 1 Pass	5 15 p m
No. 1 Accom	2 40 p m	No. 3 Pass	10 22 a m
No. 3 Pass	3 45 p m	No. 11 Freight	7 50 a m
No. 4 Chicago Express		No. 8 Champaign Line arrives	10 00 a m
Line heavy	2 0 p m		
No. 10 Freight	4 p m		

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ARRIVE		LEAVE	
No. 1 Pass	2 45 p m	No. 2 Pass	11 15 a m
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No. 13 Freight	5 0 a m		

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